Assistant Commissioner for Patents Attv. Dkt. 1579-315 Washington, D.C. 20231 Date: November 10, 1999 6 s a request for filing a new PATENT APPLICATION under Rule 53(b) entitled: STRESSOR REGULATED GENES nout a filing fee and/or without an executed inventor's oath/declaration. application is made by the below identified inventor(s). Attached hereto are the following papers: An abstract together with pages of specification and claims including numbered claims and also attached is/are 4 43 sheets of accompanying drawings. This application is based on the following prior foreign application(s): Application No. Country **Filing Date** respectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application, and priority is hereby claimed therefrom. This application is based on the following prior provisional application(s): \square Application No. Filing Date 60/109,281 November 20, 1998 60/109,281 November 20, 1998
Tespectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application, and priority is hereby claimed therefrom. Certified copy/ies of foreign applications attached. This application is a \(\subseteq \text{continuation}/\subseteq \text{division}/\subseteq \text{continuation-in-part of application Serial No.} \) . filed Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application is a __ continuation/_ division/ , filed , the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by continuation-in-part of application Serial No. reference in this application .--Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This is a continuation of PCT application No. , the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application .--Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No.60/109,281, filed November 20, 1998, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application .--Preliminary amendment to claims (attached hereto), to be entered before calculation of the fee. Also attached. Inventor: Jonathan H. Freedman U.S.A. MI (last) (citizenship) (first) Residence: (city) Rougemont (state/country) North Carolina Post Office Address: 8923 Charlotte's Mountain Road, Rougemont, North Carolina 27572 (incl zip code) Liao **Taiwanese** 2. Vivian H.C. Inventor: (citizenship) MΙ (last) (first) **North Carolina** Residence: (city) Durham (state/country) Post Office Address: 301 Swift Avenue, Apt. #24, Durham, North Carolina (incl zip code) 27705 NOTE: FOR ADDITIONAL INVENTORS, check box
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